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In re the Application of: SUZUKI, Keita

Group Art Unit: 1772

Serial No.: 10/030,095

Examiner: M. A. PATTERSON

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P.T.O. Confirmation No.: 4433

For: MULTI-LAYER RESIN TUBE

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
- EXPEDITED RESPONSE GROUP ART UNIT 1772

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

February 27, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 27, 2003, extended to February 27, 2004, by a one-month petition for extension of time, please amend the above-identified application as follows: